

THE ADVOCATE.

HARRIS & MASON, Proprietors.

MT. STERLING, TUESDAY, FEB. 23, 1892.

The Business Outlook.

R. G. Dun & Company's Weekly Review of Trade says: The business situation is not quite so satisfactory or encouraging as it has been. While there has been a gradual increase in the distribution of many lines of merchandise there is shrinkage in demand and much depression in iron. Further decline in cotton blights the hopes of a revival in Southern trade and speculation stimulated by cheap money and by a great success of coal speculation now extends to wheat and threatens to restrict export. Notwithstanding the fact that exports of wheat have been diminishing and for four days of the past week been only 300,000 bushels from the Atlantic ports while Western receipts continue large. Speculations at Chicago lifted the price 6 cents during the week and sales here have been 57,000,000 bushels. An advance from any cause which cuts off exports of breadstuffs at a time when Europe has heavy demands for stocks marked here would not be wholesome.

The Court of Appeals has twice, within a few days, given its endorsement to the validity of the new constitution; a thing the people had done in a most emphatic manner some time since.

H. McCarty, the venerable editor of the Jassamine Journal and one of the most brilliant writers of the State, who died at his late residence at Nicholasville, on the 15th inst., was buried at Bardstown last Wednesday.

Chief Justice Maxwell, of the Supreme Court, has handed down an opinion holding that Gov. Thayer had no right to hold the office of Governor nor had he the right to usurp authority and that Lieutenant Governor Majors should have held the office pending the test of Boyd's citizenship.

The Senate passed the Goebel Lottery Bill on Friday morning. The bill passed by a vote of 20 to 0; the opponents of the bill not voting. This is a step in the right direction and when the House shall pass it, if the law is enforced, it will help to rid us of a very great evil.

It is the opinion of those in position to know that the proposed amendment to the United States Constitution, providing for the direct election by the people of their United States Senators, is passing prosperously through its committee stages and will be reported favorably to the House.

The First Congressional district has started out with a multiplicity of candidates for Congress, Judge W. N. Robertson, Mayfield; Judge James Campbell, Paducah; Capt. Stone, present incumbent, J. K. Hendrick, Smithland; and two gentlemen of the Alliance party, who have not yet permitted the use of their names, but who will doubtless become candidates.

We are glad to notice that our representative had the manliness and liberal mindedness to vote for the appropriation to build a monument to the memory of Hart, the sculptor. Mr. Thomas is not in the legislature to make a "record," but to represent his constituents, and that which he thinks will reflect honor upon his State. A former legislature appropriated a large sum of money to bring Joel T. Hart's body home and now some members of this one refuse to vote \$1,000 to mark the spot where his body is laid.

Governor Brown has wisely offered a reward of \$200 for the capture of Berry Turner. This, in addition to the \$100 offered by the Patrons, makes a reward of \$300 offered. Turner and his gang were last heard from at "South America," not far from Pineville. Another fight is expected between the Turner and Paton factions.

Frank Martin, one of the famous Paton faction, is locked up at Middleboro for shooting W. T. Brooks, one of the Turner faction, on the 15th. Brooks was passing a cabin on Stony Fork, when Martin stepped out and said he should never pass. He was armed with a rifle and shot Brooks in the groin, from which Brooks will probably die. Martin escaped, but was pursued by Sheriff Colson and Deputy Turner, who arrested him at "South America," the scene of the Turner-Paton factions.

This space is for I. N. Phipps, successor to W. S. Caldwell, dealer in Clothing and Hats. His stock is complete with desirable goods, which, at this time, are marked down very low. The Clothing Department is full of choice bargains. Suits in all the latest styles and woven by the best manufacturers of this country. Youths' and Children's Suits Very Low. Customers will find everything as represented, both in price and quality of goods. Hats are sold at prices less than ever before, on account of the large stock to be reduced. Stiff and Soft Hats at all prices. Styles the newest. Money Saved. Examine his stock.

The Critic Egg'd.

The Lexington Transcript gives the following account of the egg'ing of a Lexington man that is said to have occurred in our city Friday night. The facts, as given by the correspondent, seem to be very nearly correct, so we copy the article entire.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Feb. 20.—The sensation of the season occurred in front of the National Hotel in this city at a late hour last night.

A young society man and would-be critic on the Leader, came to Mt. Sterling about a month ago to attend a ball and banquet, and in his report of the affair in the next day's Leader, he was very severe and made all sorts of unkind remarks about the supper.

Among other things, he said: "The supper was rotten, but I suppose it was owing to the fact that they had not eaten."

Last night the same young critic came up and gave a box party at the Opera House and of course, put on a lot of style, as city boys generally do at a show in small town. The Wilbur Opera Company seemed to have special attractions for him as he followed the girls in this city after witnessing their performances every night for a week in Lexington.

Criticism aside and back to the facts: He was here and after the show he started to the National Hotel, but the night was dark and the boys were out with their pockets filled with eggs and when the young critic was near the hotel they let fly their spring-time missiles and covered his brown suit, pants and all, with shells, white and yellow until he cried "enough." But the boy yelled: "—be he who cries enough."

The screams of the young man attracted the attention of the police who rushed to the scene in time to see a loud pair of pants making their escape through the front door into the hotel office and hear a muffled laugh in the darkness near the new Court House.

The young man was shown to his room where he was groomed up in passable shape and he retired a wiser, if not a more discreet man.

No arrests were made up to six o'clock this afternoon and from recent indications there will be no extra exertions made by the police to bring the guilty parties to justice.

Eggs are still firm and range from 18 to 20¢; market cool. Track fast.

Mr. Clarence Bradley, dramatic critic of the Leader, gave a box party at the Opera House in Mt. Sterling, Friday night.—Lex. Transcript.

On Wednesday night George Gibson and Cole Smoot had a difficulty in Pangburn's saloon on Court street. During the quarrel Gibson struck Smoot with a bottle glass when Smoot cut Gibson quite severely in the right breast. The wound, whilst serious, is probably not a fatal one. Smoot had an examining trial yesterday and was released.

Some parties without the fear of the law before their eyes broke into Mr. James Turley's cold storage warehouse on Friday night and stole a quantity of meat, wine, etc.

A Mob Foiled.

The following special from Owingsville to the Courier-Journal, gives an account of an attempted jail delivery Saturday night: "About 12 o'clock last night a mob of fifty or sixty masked men called at the jail in this place, claiming to have a prisoner to look up. Jailer D. S. Nixon was suspicious, however, and refused to let them in. The mob then revealed their true intentions by breaking down the front door of the jail and rushing in, saying they wanted and intended to have a man confined there, at the same time firing toward the head of the stairs, where the jailer and his son Will were stationed.

The jailer returned the fire as fast as he could, and the mob proceeded to disperse as rapidly as they could get out. It is not known whether any of them were struck or not. People differ in their belief as to why the mob wanted. Some think they wanted to release George Green, sentenced to the penitentiary for life for the murder of John B. Davidson, while others think they wanted to lynch the negro, Oscar Taylor, who murdered Town Marshal Taylor Vice, of Sharpsburg. Christman eve."

Notice.

I am forced to have money in order to meet my payments. Those owing me must come forward and settle their indebtedness. I dislike to thus offend but necessarily force me to make collections. I therefore ask those indebted to me to come forward and settle at once, and avoid trouble.

Respectfully,
EDWARD MITCHELL.

John Brady, of near Thompson station, has rented the Grassy Luck Turnpike and will take possession March 1st.

Gov. Brown says the reason he desired the removal of Capt. Mike Bolan as warden of the penitentiary at Frankfort was for unnecessary cruelty to convicts.

W. A. Sutton has rented the store room in Main streetately occupied by W. L. Morris, and yesterday afternoon went to Louisville and Cincinnati to purchase the finest line of furniture ever brought to this city.

The latest rumor in regard to the vacancy on the Interstate Commerce Commission is that Judge J. C. Clements, of Georgia, will receive the appointment.

The most important matter before the State Legislature this week is the Goebel lottery bill, which is the special order for Thursday in the House.

A son of Judge Alex. Strong, of Owsley county, was killed near St. Helens, Lee county, Sunday, by a son of John Angel. The wound, whilst serious, is probably not a fatal one. Smoot had an examining trial yesterday and was released.

George Reisinger has rented the house under R. M. & T. K. Barnes and has fitted up a shop. He will be glad to welcome all his old customers at his new quarters.

We are under obligations to the Sentinel-Democrat for favors conferred the past week. Gentlemen, we thank you for the courtesies extended to us.

Robt. L. Sharpe and Miss Little Evans, of Sharpsburg, took the train here this morning for Cincinnati, where they will be married at the Palace Hotel at 1 o'clock. Mr. Sharp is the son of Dr. Wm. Sharp, and a most estimable young business man, connected with the drug firm of Sharp & Co., and his chosen bride is a young lady of great worth of character, and in every respect a truly noble woman, the daughter of Mr. A. R. Evans, a prominent farmer. Both are excellent people. It is no runaway, but they simply go away to avoid the publicity of a home or church wedding. Mr. A. B. Whaley accompanied them. The Advocate joins their host of friends in best wishes for their future happiness.

Don't forget to call at L. N. Phipps and see that nice patent trunk he sells. They beat anything that has ever been brought to this market. Don't forget the place, W. S. Caldwell's old stand. Ladies are invited to call and see them.

Two book cases, cheap at Cassidy's.

Miss Bessie Morris, of Whitesburg, is visiting her uncle, W. L. Morris of this city.

"Now mother Coleman, you let that girl stay behind that bureaux till I call for it, for us boys are going to salivate George Washington's birthday next Monday."

Roni.

For Sale or Rent.

A desirable house of nine rooms with seven acres of ground attached within the city limits. Terms reasonable. For information apply at this office.

Louisville Tobacco Market, furnished by Glover & Durrett-Louisville Tobacco Warehouse.

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to \$3,091 hds., with receipts for the same period of 3,010 hds.; sales on our market since Jan 1st, amount to 27,189 hds. Sales of the crop of 1891 on our market to this date \$24,444 hds.

Our market has not developed any changes on new burley tobacco this week. The sales continue immense and the market remains very firm and active for all grades, color low grades being especially strong. The demand for burley seed is very heavy and the preparation for the new crop unusually extensive. The following quotations fairly represent our market for burley tobacco crop of 1891.

Trash (dark) or damaged tobacco \$2.50 to \$4.

Common color trash - - \$4 to \$5.

Medium colored tobacco trash \$4 to \$5.

Common lugs not color, - - \$4 to \$5.

Common color lugs - - \$4 to \$6.

Medium to good color lugs - - \$8 to \$15.

Common to medium leaf, - - \$7 to \$12.

Medium to good leaf, - - \$12 to \$17.

Good to fine leaf - - \$17 to \$22.

Select wrapper tobacco, - - \$22 to \$26.

For carpets call at Cassidy's. 29-31

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for Infants and Children.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as a safe and only prescription known to me. H. A. Anderson, M.D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

"The use of Castoria is so universal and its merits so well known that it seems a work of supererogation to endorse it. Few are the infants and children who do not benefit by its use within easy reach." CARLOS M. D. D., New York City.

Castoria cures Colds, Consumption, Croup, Whooping Cough, Diarrhoea, Enteritis, Kill Worms, gives sleep, and promotes digestions. Without injurious medication.

"For several years I have recommended your Castoria, and shall always continue to do so as it has invariably produced beneficial results." EDWARD F. PARSONS, M. D., "The Windthrop," 125th Street and 7th Ave., New York City.

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TRACE CHAINS, BACK-BANDS,

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Largest Assorted Stock of

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In Eastern Kentucky.

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Prices Guaranteed.

New School District.

A new school district will be created around the city of Mt. Sterling, beginning at and including the toll-house on Camargo pike, thence by a straight line to and including Thos. Calk, thence to and including Jno. S. Wyatt, Jr., thence with straight line crossing Winchester pike at Jno. F. Gammon pond, thence to and including the Capt. Jones farm, thence to and including Wm. Garrison, thence with straight line to and including D. Smith, thence with straight line to and including Young's dirt road, including the Slopes and Tyler farms, and excluding the Wilson and Wm. Reese farms, thence to and including Thos. Grubbs, with straight line to and including Rich. Wilson, H. R. Ringo, R. R. Crooks, E. J. Shaeffer, thence to and including old house on J. O. Embry's farm, thence to mouth of dirt road near oil fair grounds, thence with Owingsville and Mt. Sterling pike to and including Richard Trimble, thence a straight line to and including including all of the land between the foregoing boundary line, and the city limits of Mt. Sterling. J. E. Groves, County Sup't.

A line of bed bongees or couches at cost to close out in order to make room for carpets, at Cassidy's. 29-31

Mr. Charles Henry, a wide awake business man, yesterday bought out the stock of groceries of S. P. Nunnelly. Mr. Henry is sure to prove a valuable acquisition to our circle of live merchants.

To-day Ex-President Cleveland will meet ex-Governor Campbell at Detroit with the view of taking steps in order to capture the Ohio delegation to the National convention for Mr. Cleveland. Mr. Campbell will lead the Cleveland forces, assisted by W. H. Harter, Congressman Tom Johnson, Allen W. Thurman and other leading Ohio Democrats. This factional work is extending, and is an other reason why neither Hill nor Cleveland should be nominated at Chicago.

J. Gordon,

229 South Mayville Street,

Has a real Bargain Store in New and Second-hand

CLOTHING.

Goods can be bought for less than half price, and are good value in other stores. Purchased directly from me, is the reason they are very cheap.

Boots & Shoes,

Hats, Caps, Gent's Furnishing Goods, etc., at correspondingly low prices. BIG MONEY BILLED HERE.



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BEST Fresh and Cured Meats, Fish, Oysters, Poultry, Candies, Confections, Fruits, Vegetables, Cigars and Tobacco and in all kinds of

COUNTRY

J. B. Looney's old stand,

Mt. STERLING, KY.



THE ADVOCATE.

HORSE AND TRACK.

Blue Grass Park, Winchester, Ky.
Messrs. Bean & Herriott, in 1889 determined to establish a stock farm for the purpose of breeding and developing trotters. They have built a fine three-quarter mile track on the farm and are as well equipped for the business as any farm in the country. In purchasing a stallion they selected Algeria Wilkes, (son of Hussar, 2:21, and Jessie Wilkes, 2:29) a horse bred in the purple, and a good individual. He was sired by Alcyone, 2:27, that great son of Geo. Wilkes, and the noted brood mare Alma Mater, the dam of five in the list, including the great Alcantara, for whom \$60,000 has been offered. Algeria's dam Gospis (dam of Don Wilkes, 2:34) is by Tatler, one of the best sons of Pilot Jr., 12. A horse whose name is great deserved trotters are known. His son and the grand old mare Jessie Pepper, (dam of Iona, 2:17½, Alpha, 2:23½ and five producing daughters) and one of the best daughters of Mambrino Chief, whose blood is pure gold for speed and racing qualities. No one can deny but that in Algeria Wilkes Bean & Herriott have a great breed one. Their brood mares are bred in royal lines, having some twenty-five matrons by such sires as Mambrino Patchen, King Rene, Mambrino Time, Bourbon Wilkes, Forest Wilkes, Sentinel, Young Jim, Cleartown, Harlast, Sentinel Wilkes, &c. It is almost a certainty that Algeria Wilkes will make a great sire, having such mares in the stud. Particulars breeding to a stallion should look at the opportunities he will have when breeding to him. Blue Grass Park has the best of mares; train the produce and patrons breeding to their horse reap the results with the owners. Algeria Wilkes' service fee is low and you will make a mistake if you do not book some of your mares to him. See their advertisement in this week's paper.

The dam of McKinley 2:12½, is in foal to Baron Wilkes.

Horse buyers say that the demand for good, sound, smooth drivers far exceeds the supply.

In 1880 Red Wilkes stood at a fee of \$20 by the season or \$30 to insure. This year his fee is \$1,000.

When breaking the colts teach them to walk fast. No gait is more desirable in a road horse than a fast walk.

The late sales show that animals must combine individual merit with approved blood lines in order to bring good prices.

As long as millionaires are willing to invest part of their surplus in high bred trotting stock, there will be money in raising that class of horses.

Don't imagine that time spent fixing up about the stable, grooming stock, cleaning harness, etc., lost time. It makes and saves money both.

A. Moore, Philadelphia, has offered Graham & Conley \$35,000 for Constantine, but they declined to entertain the proposition. He cost \$27,000 at Woodard's sale.

Mr. Davis has insured his great horse Alcantara at \$40,000, by disease or accident for \$40,000. The premium on this amount is, it is said, \$3,200 a year.

Above all things in breeding, don't waste any time with a poor or indifferent mare. Common horses are so plenty that only good ones are in demand and bring fair prices.

It is the opinion of experienced horsemen that a colt cannot get too fat before he is two years old. He can be fed all that he will eat up to that age without injury, provided, of course, that he is given plenty of exercise.

At Harrodsburg Mr. Nimrod Buster sold to St. Louis parties his seven year old gelding, Dandy Jim, for a price not made public. It is understood Mr. Buster had refused \$5,000 for him, and it is believed he will get a record of 2:13 or better this season. Crit Davis developed him.

The February sales have already proven to the breeders of Kentucky that nothing but a royalty bred colt with speed and good looks will do in these days for a stallion. The market for good roadsters is excellent and our breeders will make a great mistake if they do not have more road horses and less common stallions.

The Southern Farm, San Leandro, Cal., has built a swimming tank in which to train its horses. While it

may be a good thing for cripples or muscle-wore horses it cannot ever be of much use for youngsters that are sound, as walking the earth is good enough for them.

George W. Leavitt, who is one of the best judges of trotting horses that comes to Kentucky, says Ralph Wilkes would be a cheap horse at \$50,000 the way stallions are selling. He says he is perfectly sound, and in his opinion one of the best individuals he ever saw.

Mrs. C. R. Noyes, of Boston, has the courage and foresight of which successful breeders are made. She has booked Marinetto, by Director, to Arion at \$2,500. Marinetto produced a magnificent filly by Axel, 2:12, last season and is expected to produce a foal by Nelson, 2:10, next summer. A foal by Arion from her would sell for a small fortune.

The first two trotters to enter the 2:30 list in '92 are Fred Drake, by Joe Gavin, and Bide-a-Brac, a three-year-old Alcantara filly. Fred Drake made a record of 2:27½ and Bide-a-Brac, 2:29½ in a match race on the 20th inst. California has thus set the ball rolling, and when the blizzards in the East are over in a few months their colts will begin to swell the list.

The many friends of Budd Doble will be pleased to learn that the great driver has completely recovered from the illness that for a time last summer prevented him from driving in a few races. "I was never better in my life than now," said Doble the other day, "and shall this year give my personal attention to every horse intrusted to me, and drive all the races in which my stable is engaged."

Mr. William Peters, of Independence, Mo., is here on a visit to his old home. Mr. Peters is a son of A. G. Peters, who, during life was considered one of the best horsemen in Kentucky. Our friend Bill is much like his father and is one of the best horsemen in the country. He will remain here and handle horses if he has sufficient inducements offered. We hope he will stay with us as Kentucky cannot afford to lose such a man leave her borders.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Donaldson Items.

Born to the wife of Owen Kindred a daughter on Feb. 19th, their first born.

Born to the wife of Thomas Terry a daughter on Feb. 17th.

Born to the wife of Thomas Turley a daughter on Feb. 22nd.

J. M. Henry sold to A. Orey his crop of tobacco, raised in 1890, of 2,500 pounds at 4¢ cents.

R. P. Gifford has been employed to teach the Donaldson school, and has 42 scholars. One of the best county schools in the country.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP

I want to buy a number one jack.

R. A. MITCHELL.

John A. Thompson sold to Dr. R. Haydon a 5 year old horse at \$65.

John A. Thompson sold to Simon Well 25 hogs for April delivery at 4¢.

J. E. Thompson rented to R. M. King 55 acres of corn land at \$5.50 per acre.

John Corbit rented his 43 acre farm to Mr. Porter, of Estill county, for \$350.

J. C. Gillispie bought of John McDonald 100 head of stock ewes at \$6.00 per head.

R. A. Mitchell bought of G. C. Everett the noted stallion Senator Blackburn for \$1,500.

Frank Miller, of Clark county, sold W. H. Reid and E. R. Prewitt 100 barrels of corn at \$2 per bbl.

Mrs. M. E. McCormick sold a house and 2 acres of land on Spencer to C. T. & G. Skidmore for \$325 cash.

S. P. Hunt bought of John and David Webster about 5 acres of tobacco at 7½ cents per lb. all around.

W. F. Kinney, of Clark county, sold 13,557 pounds of tobacco, raised near Clintonville, to Geo. Jones, of Bonham, for \$1,335.70—an average of \$193.67 per acre.

T. H. Grimes rented of T. G. Shantz the Massie farm near Winchester containing 60 acres. 20 acres for tobacco, 20 acres for corn on shares the balance in grass at \$400.

George May has rented of J. S. Parish the W.H. Hill farm of 90 acres for \$600 cash. Possession given March

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Hardware, Queensware, Tinware and a full line of Agricultural Implements. The celebrated

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The greatest plow of the age. 150 sold in the country last year. Head testimonials from leading farmers all over the State. Oliver Chilli, South Bend and Avery Plow repairs kept in stock. Avery's Steel and Chilled Plows. Stoddard's New Climax and Tiger Die Harrows. Fish Broat. Celebrated Wagons, made especially to order. Whiteley Steel Binders and Mowers.



The best line of Cooking Stoves and Ranges on the market.

1st. Mr. May rented his farm near Kiddville to a Mr. Colver for \$600.

Tobacco sales made from this country on Louisville market last week:

2 hds. leaf at \$14 and \$10; 2 hds. lugs at \$5.50 and \$6; 2 lbs. common leaf at \$9.00 and \$9; 52 lbs. leaf lugs and trash at \$22.50 to \$5.60; 10 hds. leaf, lugs and trash \$19.50 to \$8; 20 hds. leaf, lugs and trash \$20 to \$4.

Bijou Moore has sold a pair of 4-year-old mules, 16 hands, to Mack Cecil for \$225. Mr. Moore states that the same mules would have brought \$350 four years ago. Mr. Moore believes that the value of aged mules has fallen of \$10 on a head each year for five years past.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

Dwight Rue rented last Thursday from New Orleans where he had gone to sell a car load of mules. He reports prices low and found it an extremely slow matter to sell. It took him six weeks to dispose of his car load, mixed sugar and cotton mules, from 14 to 16 hands high, at from \$100 to \$140. He reports the horse market in New Orleans good.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

Two fresh meats of all kinds, fruits, vegetables etc., at Watt M. Gay & Co's.

Palace Hotel

On East Main street. Regular meals

25 cents. Day boarders \$1.

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SETTLES BROS.

The celebrated Kentucky Break Cart, the best made, is manufactured by Settles Bros., Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Nice fresh line of green groceries and canned goods at Watt M. Gay & Co's.

SUNDAY A train robber, Oliver Curtis Perry, a former cowboy and later a railway brakeman, followed a Central Hudson train between Syracuse and Lyons, N. Y., and after attempting to rifle the express car. When the train reached Lyons an attempt was made to arrest the robber, but he held the crowd at bay with two revolvers, drove the engineer from an engine, and started to make his escape. The express engine was freed from the car, and a running fight ensued along the parallel tracks. He was finally compelled to abandon the engine and seek safety by flight across the country, but was captured and lodged in jail. It is said to be the boldest attempt at railway robbery on record.

Officer Gibbons arrested Al Darnell Friday night charged with robbing Neal Devine. Neal had a pretty good load of red liquor aboard and the negro seeing he was in no condition to take care of himself relieved him of some five-five or one hundred dollars. Darnell is in jail and his trial is set for to-morrow.

Mr. W. H. Prewitt, of this county, has bought in Boyle and Lincoln counties 7 thousand lambs for delivery from June 20th to July 1st.

Prices will range from 5 cents for late delivery to 8 cents for May delivery, and 6 up to the tenth of June. Mr. Prewitt bought of Ike Shelly last week two hundred and fifty lambs for six cents for 25th of May delivery and 5 cents for June delivery.....

Auelonee A.

The New York State Democratic Convention met yesterday.

RACKET STORE.



Our TOWEL SALE will continue for this week. This week we place on sale a nice line of

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Will sell a Fast Black Hose, guaranteed, for 25 cents. Regular made hose for 20 cents, a good hose at 15 cents, worth 20 cents, etc. The Racket Store is the place to buy. Strictly Cash and a One Price House.

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Fine White Seed Oats, Timothy, Clover, &c.

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CANNED GOODS,

Embracing corn, tomatoes, beans, pumpkins, apples, peaches, pears, cherries, apricots, &c. This line of goods is fresh, of first quality, and will be sold very cheap.

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At the very closest margin.

Dried and Evaporated Fruits, Cigars, Tobaccos, Confectionaries and every article usually kept in a first-class grocery store.

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Everything in our line, offering Special Inducements.

Fresh importation of Sour Krout, Pickles and Pickled Pig Feet.

A. BAUM & SON,

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Hotel For Sale or Rent.

A good hotel property in the town of Sharpsburg, Ky., one of the best openings in the state for a good hotel man. Can be had on reasonable terms. Will sell, rent or exchange for a farm. For particulars address WM. J. QUISNERBERRY,

Salt Lick, Ky.
Or Mrs. Wm. J. Quisenberry, corner East High street and Harrison Avenue, Mt. Sterling, Ky. 24-84.

Land for Sale!

117 acres of fine-class Blue Grass land, situated on the waters of Plum Creek, three miles from North Middlestown, and nine miles from Mt. Sterling, on the Paris pike. A 1 1/2 acre building, two good barns and good tenant house, and two tobacco barns that will hold from eight to ten acres.

58 acres of fine-class Blue Grass land, 2 1/2 miles from North Middlestown and nine miles from Mt. Sterling, on the Paris pike. A 1 1/2 acre building, two good orchards, well watered, fencing, etc.

Both farms in good neighborhood, and close to school and school house.

Will sell on reasonable terms. Address or apply to J. W. McCLURE,
Winchester, Ky.

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Kentucky Midland R. R.

Direct Connections Via Paris for Georgetown and Frankfort.

Lv. Morehead (M. V.) ... 8 am 5:45 pm 11:15 pm
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THE STATES.

Maine takes its name from the Province of Maine in France, and was so called as a compliment to the Queen of Charles I., Henrietta, who was its owner.

New Hampshire takes its name from Hampshire, England. New Hampshire was originally called Laconia.

Vermont is French (Verd Mont), signifying green mountain.

Massachusetts is an Indian word, signifying "Country About the Great Hills."

Rhode Island gets its name because of its fancied resemblance to the Island of Rhodes in the Mediterranean.

The real name of Connecticut is Quan-en-ts-cut. It is a Mohegan word and means "Long River."

New York was so named as a compliment to the Duke of York, whose brother, Charles II., granted him the territory. New Jersey was named for Sir George Carter, who was at the time Governor of the Island of Jersey in the British Channel.

Pennsylvania, as is generally known, takes its name from William Penn, the "sylvania" part of it means woods. Literally it is "Penn's Woods."

Delaware derives its name from Thomas West, Lord de Ware.

Maryland was named in honor of Henrietta Maria, Queen of Charles I. Virginia got its name from Queen Elizabeth, "the Virgin Queen."

The Carolinas are named for Charles (Carols) II.

Florida gets its name from Cananusa de Flores, or "Feast of the Flowers."

Alabama comes from a Greek word, and signifies "Land of Rest."

Louisiana was named in honor of Louis XVI., Mississippi is a Natchez word, and means "Father of Waters."

Three or four Indian interpretations have been given the word Arkansas, the best being that it signifies "Smoky Waters," the French prefix "Ark" meaning bow.

Tennessee, according to some writers, is from Tonasea, an Indian Chief; others have it means "River of the Big Bend."

Kentucky does not mean "Dark and Bloody Ground," but is derived from the Indian word "Kalu-tuk-ah," signifying "Land at the Head of the River."

Ohio has had several meanings fitted to it. Some say that it is a Suvance word, meaning "The Beautiful River"; others refer to the Wyandot word Oheea, which signified "Something Great."

Indiana means land of Indians. Illinois is supposed to be derived from an Indian word which was intended to refer to a superior class of men.

Wisconsin is an Indian word, meaning "Wild, Rushing Waters."

Missouri means "Muddy Water."

Michigan is from an Indian word, meaning "Great Lake."

The name of Kansas based on the same as of Arkansas.

Iowa is the name from an Indian tribe, the Kliowas were so called by the Illinois Indians because they were "across the river."

The name of California is a matter of much dispute. Some writers say that it first appeared in a Spanish romance of 1530, the heroine being an Aztec woman named "California."

Colorado is a Spanish word applied to that portion of the Rocky Mountains on account of its many colored peaks.

Nebraska means shallow waters.

Nevada is a Spanish word signifying "Snow-Covered Mountains."

Georgia had its name bestowed when it was a colony in honor of George II.

The Spanish missionaries of 1524 called the country now known as Texas, "Mixtecapa," and the people Mexicanos. From this last word the name of Texas is supposed to have been derived.

Oregon is a Spanish word signifying "Vales of Wild Thyme."

Dakota means "League" or "Allied Tribes."

Wyoming is the Indian word for "Big Plains."

Washington gets its name from our first President.

Montana means mountainous.

Ihaho is a name that has never been satisfactorily accounted for.

Critics are beginning to find fault with the designs on the new halves and quarters. There's no necessity for any feeling in the matter; it's very easy to change them—Philadelphia Times.

The Future of Natural Gas.

As to the actual amount of gas produced it is difficult to obtain exact figures; too many people are interested in concealing or misstating the facts. But one tendency cannot be overlooked, the gradual withdrawal of gas for other uses than domestic heating and cooking. The demand from this source alone is rapidly equal to the supply, especially if conservative notions prevail in regard to its permanence. Such use permits of better prices than to manufacture factories, built to sell town lots, and that those who have monopolized the visible sources of supply should seek to restrict its uses to the more profitable channels is not to be wondered at. Nor is it strange if, in order to get the business into their

hands, they will offer to do away with all restrictions on the use of gas. This is what has been done in the case of electric power, and it is only a question of time when the same will be done with respect to natural gas.

It is evident that the future of natural gas is bright, and that its use will increase rapidly.

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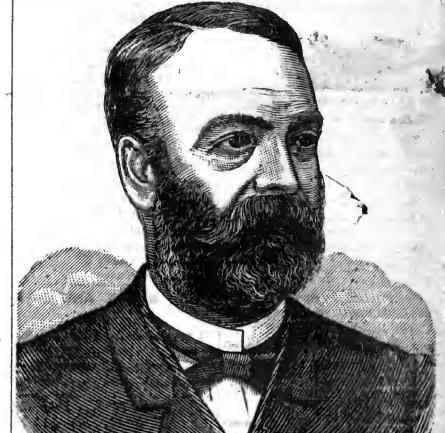
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FARM AND FARMER.

A CHANGE OF FOOD.—It often pays to add a little with food when the mother of milk is at work and see if our ideas of what a cow should have in harmony with what she, in her wisdom, tells us is best. A case in point with our own dairy illustrates the importance of conferring with the cow in the matter of feed. Our dairy was getting five silage, corn and cob meal one-third and oats two-thirds ground together, for a grain ration. There was such a response in milk as we could wish, and so the ration was changed by adding a half of one middlings (best bread); so to make the same number of pounds fed daily. The change was made at the very beginning of the late severe storm and cold weather, and in five days the average increase of milk per head was 4½ pounds, nearly six cents' worth of milk additional to each cow. The increase was a surprise, as we had supposed that oats were an ideal food for milk, and were congratulating ourselves that, with a home grown ration, we were independent of the grain dealers, but as we sold the oats at about \$24 per ton, and saved the grinding besides, \$24 more, and bought the middlings at \$20, we are still actually feeding the result of the home grown feed and getting six cents per day per cow profits on the transaction. We attempted no explanation in the matter beyond this, that the cows seemed to enjoy the new mixture better, and are paying us roundly for the trouble, and we have found out something that will be of benefit for the future.—Practical Farmer.

How many farmers know how many teeth their horses, cattle, sheep and hogs have? We often laugh at the city people for not knowing the names and qualities of our many breeds of stock. A horse has forty teeth, a mare thirty-six (wanting the tusks or so-called wolf teeth), the ox and sheep tribes have only thirty-two, wanting the eight incisors in the upper jaw. The pig has forty-four teeth, the dog has forty-two teeth, and mankind only thirty-two. There are many things about animal construction that, coupled with the modern scientific investigation relating to stock breeding, feeding and management, every farmer's son should know, and may learn free of charge by attending the winter term of the State Agricultural College that is now so generously provided by the government in every State. Why let the duties in the literary departments of these colleges reap all the benefits and the farmers' sons, for whom the agricultural colleges were created, quietly stay at home?—Western Agriculturist.

FEEDING THE SWINE.—Pumpkins are valuable feed for hogs in connection with other foods, such as corn, bran, oatmeal etc.; but swine prefer the pumpkins cooked, as they do potatoes. We have found it an excellent way to use up small potatoes by either boiling or steaming them with pumpkins. If to this combination is added wheat bran and all the corn the hogs will eat, it is difficult to imagine a better combination of foods for fattening them unless it is the addition of all the milk they will drink. These can be fed separately or in combination, as the hogs may seem to like them best. They afford a good variety, are well relished, and contain the elements for promoting growth as well as for fattening. If one uses steaming apparatus or kettles for boiling, we prefer steaming. It is not much of a job to cook the potatoes and pumpkins, nor is the necessary apparatus very expensive. We think every farmer should have such an outfit for heating, scalding and cooking.—Mirror and Farmer.

FLOOR FOR HORSE STALLS.—It is extremely difficult to make a better floor for horse stalls than the clay floor solidly tramped to make it hard. Such a floor will be elastic without being soft, and is the best possible one for maintaining a healthy condition of the hoof. Littered with straw, as all floors should be, the liquid manure will be absorbed, and the straw covering will prevent the shoe claws from disturbing the clay. A horse standing upon such a floor will have a hoof that is soft and yet tough, capable of enduring much more wear than a dry and brittle hoof, such as horses usually have that stand upon wooden floors.—Indiana Farmer.

GLEANINGS.—Long finger nails cause a great many cows to contract

the kicking habit. Milkers should keep the nails so closely trimmed that they will not cut the teats while milking.

Feed up the hay and grain so far as it is possible to do so. The manure from the animals will save your farm from deteriorating. Crops continually grown and sold from the farm soon impoverish the soil and render artificial fertilization necessary.

The most suitable temperature for what are known as green house plants, such as geraniums, carnations, camellias, azaleas, etc., is about forty-five degrees at night. Hot house plants better have fifteen degrees more.

The common practice among country people in mixing ripened and now cream together just before churning will not produce the best results. The flavor will be deficient, and the time of churning will be greater than if all ripened cream is used.

When a steer keeps poor all winter notwithstanding he has plenty of food, water and shelter, it is in order to look out for lice, warbles or some other form of parasite. When an industry of any kind does not prosper with good seasons and natural conditions favoring it, it is just as important to look for parasites.

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, says: "Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c. a bottle at W. S. Lloyd's drug store.

Solidified Petroleum Fuel.

The value of petroleum as a fuel has led to several attempts to render it, and thus to render it more convenient to use than when in the liquid form. The most recent method of doing this is that of Mr. Chevalier, a demonstration of whose invention was given recently at the works of the Solidified Petroleum (Pioneer) Corporation, Gainesboro road, Hickman Wick. The process of conversion is very simple and rapid.

A given quantity of crude petroleum is first drawn off into a vessel, and with it is mixed about 15 per cent. of certain chemicals, which are in themselves largely combustible. The vessel containing the mixture is then placed for a short time in boiling water, which causes fusion to take place. The vessel is then transferred to a furnace, having a temperature of from 400 degrees to 500 degrees F., the mixture being kept stirred. In a short time solidification takes place, after which the compound is pressed into blocks for use. The chemicals employed for admixture with the petroleum are stated to cost only about the same as the petroleum, and the process of conversion does not require any skilled labor.

The whole process, from the first mixing to solidification, occupies only about half an hour, and the converting apparatus is simple and inexpensive. The solidified petroleum burns freely with but a small percentage of ash.

The foreign controls over the foreign patent relating to this invention the nature of the chemicals was not disclosed. Neither was the cost of production stated, but from what was shown this cannot be excessive. It was, however, stated that the heating power of the new fuel was much in excess of that of steam coal, though it could be sold much cheaper.—Paper Trade Review, London.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtiss, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from the first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles found herself sound and well, now, does her own housework and is as well as she ever was.

Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at W. S. Lloyd's drug store, large bottles 50c. and \$1.00.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and pox cures piles, or no pay required.

It is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. S. Lloyd.

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GENERAL NEWS.

Mt. Vesuvius is in a state of eruption.

New Orleans was visited by a \$2,000,000 fire on the night of the 17th instant.

A second Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the British Empire will be held in London in June.

The Pope hopes to be buried in the Lateran by the side of Innocent III., whose tomb he has just finished there.

Mail matter can be sent from Paris to Berlin now in pneumatic tubes. It takes 35 minutes for a package to go from one city to the other.

The large spot recently formed on the sun has broken into about twenty smaller spots, and others have formed at a great distance from these.

Reading, Eng., is known as Biscuit City, because of the location there of George Palmer's big biscuit factory, in which 5,000 people are employed.

France and Germany are covered with snow to a depth as to put a stop to all railroad traffic and the suffering among the poor class is intense.

Recently between Tewkesbury and Cheltenham, in three minutes, 700 words were sent to a newspaper office and correctly received over a telephone wire.

A woman has been appointed Matron of the Buffalo, N. Y., county jail, in order, as the sheriff (courteous), explains, to have her "look after the lady prisoners."

At Dresden they are baking an American corn bread that is finding much favor, and is much cheaper than their ordinary bread. A pound costs a trifle over 3 cents.

It is probable that Cornelius Drehel, a Hollander, in the year 1630 first proposed a method for indicating changes of temperature by means of a glass bulb.

The standing army of the Argentine Republic numbers 6000 men and there are over 50 generals on the active list. This gives a general to about every hundred other warriors of all lower grades.

On a farm in the suburbs of Providence, R. I., there has been located what is claimed to be one of the largest and richest veins of granite east of the Black Hills, if not in the entire country.

Mrs. Hall T. Dillon, M. D. (colored) is the first woman to pass the Alabama State medical examination. It is an unusually severe writer examination, occupying 10 days. Dr. Dillon passed with a high average.

On Dec. 21, at midnight, by a new law, Vienna suddenly expanded from an area of 55 square kilometers to 175 square kilometers, or half the size of London, and three times as large as Berlin, with a population of 1,300,000.

The annual report of the Comedie Francaise shows a profit of \$70,000. This will give \$3,200 to each societaire. In the course of the year 1891 eleven new pieces, including Sardon's "Thermidor," were produced, and 12 plays of its old repertoire revived.

Chief Justice Fuller, in a card in a Washington paper, announces that his daughter, Miss Mary, and Collier C. Manning, of South Carolina, were quietly married at San Remo, January 7. The wedding was not made public; then on account of the bride's illness.

At American Flag, in Southern California, lives an old woman of sixty-eight, who in her early youth had a high valuation placed upon her by her church. Her father's brother, Jesus Castro, fell in love with her, and she reciprocated his affections. None of the priests would perform the ceremony. Castro offered one priest to give as much as \$5,000 to the church if the marriage knot could be tied. This however, was considered too little. Finally it was agreed that if Castro would give the girl's weight in gold they should be made man and wife. He did so and never regretted the price paid for his wife.—Portland Transcript.

It seems as if 1892 were going to be a particularly fatal year for explorers. Within a day or two of Sir James Grant's death, in Scotland, Dr. Junker, another celebrated African traveler, died in St. Petersburg, and on Monday Capt. John Parry North Pole ex-

pedition in 1820, died in England. In Capt. Greene's case it appears that Arctic explorations and exposure were good for the health, as he survived the terrible journey seventy-two years. Nor may it be amiss to note that Admiral Sir Provo Wallis, the senior officer of the British navy, who died last week, was a lieutenant on board the Shannon, in her celebrated encounter with the Chesapeake off the Massachusetts coast, nearly seventy-nine years ago, and was placed in command of the Chesapeake after her capture.—Courier-Journal.

Mrs. James G. Blaine Jr., was granted a decree of divorce from her husband with alimony to the amount of \$100 per month, and the custody of her child.

STATE NEWS.

Louisville is to have a one cent morning paper.

Several earthquake shocks were felt in Louisville on the 17th.

Over \$600,000 worth of property has missed assessment in Mercer county.

It has been stated on authority that Lancaster parties are owners of \$100,000 worth of diamonds and pay taxes on \$1,000 worth.

Scott county Republicans have selected delegates to go to the State Convention at Louisville March 30th. Commodore B. E. Linehan, a Kentucky millionaire, has sued a St Louis, Mo., bank for \$10,000 for presenting his check.

If every man could have everything he wanted, what an uninteresting place this world would be for the men, and what an unhappy place for the women.—Somerville Journal.

United States Secret Service detectives surprised a couple of counterfeitors in their unlawful work, in Louisville, Wednesday night. They were making dollars, and are members of an organized band that for some time past has been operating on both sides of the river near Louisville.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Great Contest.

One of the most exciting contests in the history of Central University will be that to be held on Monday evening next to decide upon a representative to the Inter-Collegiate Oratorical Contest to be held in the latter part of April at Georgetown. In order to make this a most interesting affair, Dr. Blanton has decided to award a gold medal to the second best speaker—the best speaker to represent the College in the coming contest.

There will be seven speakers, all trained orators, several of whom have met before in the intellectual arena. In the list of orators of the occasion whose names are given below, are represented every style of speaking, and surely every one in the audience will have abundant opportunity to be interested in the exhibition. At the present writing it is pretty well conceded that no one has a "cinch" on the first honor, and if all the fellows will keep up their training the judges will have a hard time to arrive at a decision. At all events it will be a great day in "Capua."

The speakers and their subjects are here given in the order of their delivery:

"Phantom of Hope," E. P. Tribble,

"Parnell," Cabell II., Chenault, '93,

Ep., Richmond, Ky.

"Our Government," C. O. Groves,

94, Ep., Mt. Sterling, Ky.

"Age of Revolution," A. L. Irvine,

93, Phil., Lebanon, Ky.

"What of the Republic," B. T. Cox,

92, Ep., Mayfield, Ky.

"Enlightened Partisanship," Joseph

Cabell Jones, '92, Phil., Stanford, Ky.

"The Birth of Independence," W.

Ham G. Lackey, '92, Phil., Stanford,

Ky.

Victory for one, a medal for another,

and four coffins!—Richmond Register.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A gang of counterfeiters has been

unearthed in Cincinnati. There are

three shrewd crooks in the gang: W.

G. Hera, of Newport, Ky., and W. T.

Brown and Ralph Wishon, of Cincinnati. They had everything ready to defraud the section with \$5 and 10 silver certificates.

A permanent Democratic club will

be organized in Louisville and the in-

terest is so great that 100 men will

subscribe \$100 each and become life

members.

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Dr. W. W. White committed suicide, last week at Claypool, Warren County. He was 27 years old and unmarried. Financial troubles are said to be the cause of the rash act.

Ed Coy, a negro rapist, was burned was burned at the stake at Texarcana, Texas, on Saturday, the victim of his brutal assault applying the match.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Frank Peyton, who defected in Atlanta, and whom the Cincinnati detectives were on the out look for, has been arrested in Louisville. He is the son of a well-known Cincinnati merchant and was returned to Atlanta.

Yesterday was only observed as a holiday by the banks and the post offices in this city.

3 Bush street,

THE ADVOCATE.

A Study in Synonyms.

I was asked by my wife what words to budget.
To stick, to make tracks and to tramp,
To vanquish, disappear and desamp.

I was sternly requested the double to tip
and to gather my bags and go home to sleep,
And to gather my bags and go home to sleep.

To ascend, and to vanish kerchief.

I was ordered to slope, and to seek a fresh ledge
To ascend, to pack up and to start,

To shapenstil, squat, preambulate, dodge,

To diverge, diverge and depart.

I was begged to make beef, and to speed and to gape,

Animate my mabogans sick,

And to leg it, and hook it, and step it and fly,

Yes, to pileage, and to run double quick.

I was pressed to embark, and to weigh anchor to gape,

To come to, to move forward, to fit,

To ascend Walker's hill, Shanck's pony to ride,

To arsynit, to quit and to git.

I was bidden to close, and to shear, and to steer;

But I answered with heart beating low:

"I'll do nothing so feebly vulgar, my dear,

I will merely and merrily gape."

—Loneon Fun.

FACTS ABOUT TREES.

The butternut is a tree that likes best a rocky, uneven soil, and in whose shade neither shrub nor herb will thrive. The bark is used as a dye stuff for woolens. Curled and bird's eye maple is a wood of the same family that sometimes have curiously arranged fiber, one with curves, the other with eyes, hence the name. White ash is used in carriage works. It is poisonous to snakes. It is said a snake is never found in its shade. White ash timber is valued in ship building. Apple is excellent for food and fuel. Weaver's shuttles are made of this wood. Black birch timber is used in basket works, and that tree is claimed by the Indians as their natural inheritance. It emits a pleasant odor when burning, says the Home and Farm. Mountain laurel wood is used in making combs. The leaves are poisonous to some animals. Black wild cherry timber is much valued in cabinet works. The bark is highly medicinal. The leaves, when wilted are poisonous to cattle. Of dogwood, weaver's shuttles and handles of carpenter's tools are made. Witch hazel is a large and curious forest shrub. The small branches were formerly used for "divining rods," and an extract from it is valued in medical practice. The wood of the American aspen, or white poplar, is used in the manufacture of paper.

WIT AND WISDOM.

Of two women who chose the one that will have you.—Texas Siftings.

It is natural for a fellow to bolt with rage when he gets fired.—Birmingham Republican.

The man who is not trying to make the world better, is willing that it should become worse.

If men could get to Heaven by hard work, the biggest rogues would be the best.—Rom's Horn.

The man who never gives up misses the answers to some awful good conundrums.—Elmira Gazette.

Many of the applicants for divorce acknowledge that they have made a sour mash.—Natural Weekly.

It is strange, but true, that when a man is short of brains he is generally long on collar.—Texas Siftings.

The rain falls upon the just, but not upon the injust who has stolen the umbrella of the former.—Galveston News.

People who can't afford to follow the fashion usually try to follow the people who do follow it.—Somerville Journal.

One of the highest offices in the gift of the government is that of watchman in the Washington monument.—Washington Star.

Man's fondness for sharing his misfortune is equaled only by his penance to exhibit his good luck.—Indianapolis Journal.

Man is a good deal like a fish. You know the fish would never get in a very serious trouble if it kept its mouth shut.—Yonkers Statesman.

There is nothing in the world more aggravating to a man with a secret than to meet people who have no curiosity.—Atchison Globe.

Jagow says that even the most unobservant man begins to look around when he sits down suddenly on an icy sidewalk.—Elmira Gazette.

A woman can give much advice about how to keep a husband's love on the first anniversary of her marriage than she can at her silver wedding.—Rimira Gazette.

RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

It is a long step toward Heaven to have a good mother.

Olio Wesleyan university has sent out fifty-four missionaries.

No man can overcome himself without help from Christ.—Rom's Horn.

If God were to smile at the man who frowns at his brother, devils would soon be happy.

The Yale college art school cost a quarter of a million of dollars, and is endowed with \$80,000.

The intellect of the wise is like glass, it admits the light of Heaven and reflects it.—Hare.

No preacher ever scattered his congregation by having too much to say about Christ.—Rom's Horn.

Philadelphia claims in the Penney academy of fine arts the oldest art institution in the country.

The Presbyterian churches of Chicago in ten years have increased in number from forty-nine to seventy-five.

Faith makes the christian. Life proves the christian. Trial tests the christian. Death crowns the christian.

When religion is made a science, there is nothing more intricate; when it is made a duty, nothing more easy.—Wilson.

The late Cardinal Manning was the first Englishman to receive the scarlet hat since the time of Cardinal Wolsey and the reformation. His immediate predecessor, Cardinal Wiseman, was of Irish birth.

Fourteen acres of land just north of Washington city, the estimated worth of which is \$200,000, have been donated by Messrs. Newland & Waggoner, as a site for the proposed Protestant Episcopal cathedral, at the National capital.

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648	1	34	Black cork-screw worsted sack	7 00	12 50
1265	5	32 33 34 35 36	Silver plaid (youth) sack	7 50	10 00
1211	6	35 to 40	Blue-black clay worsted, sack	8 00	12 00
6927	1	36	Blue and brown plaid, sack	8 50	15 00
6927	1	38	Blue and brown plaid, sack	9 00	15 00
8698	3	34 35 36	Black, silk stripe, sack	11 00	16 50
8673	6	35 to 38	Brown, black and gold plaid, sack	12 00	17 50

WORSTED SUITS, NUMBER 2. SACKS.

STOCK NO.	NO. OF SUITS.	SIZES.	COLOR, QUALITY, STYLE.	COST.	FORMER PRICE.
3151	2	34 to 38	Blue-black with stripe	12 25	17 50
2399	1	38	Green	14 50	22 50
7281	5	34 to 38	Blue-black clay worsted (bound)	15 00	20 00
3354	1	33	Black clay worsted	15 40	22 50

CUTAWAYS, WORSTED.

STOCK NO.	NO. OF SUITS.	SIZES.	COLOR, QUALITY, STYLE.	COST.	FORMER PRICE.
8253	1	42	Blue	4 40	7 50
6694	2	38-40	Brown	7 50	12 00
7198	7	34 to 40	Black with silk stripe	11 00	16 50
32832	2	38-39	Black cork-screw	12 00	20 00
8463	4	36 to 40	Brown with stripes	14 30	20 00
8960	2	36-36	Blue-black clay	15 00	20 00
8717	3	37 38 40	Black with gold stripes	15 50	25 00
7977	1	39	Black (Prince Albert)	16 50	25 00

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STOCK NO.	NO. OF SUITS.	SIZES.	COLOR, QUALITY, STYLE.	COST.	FORMER PRICE.
8006	5	34 36 36 36 36	Gray flannel	4 40	6 00
1634	1	36	Mingled plaid	5 00	8 50
1032	1	38	Chest melton	5 00	7 50
1274	1	33	Black chevrot	6 00	8 50
1544	5	35 38 38 39 40	Blue plaid cassimere	6 50	9 00
1417	3	39 40 42	Black chevrot	7 00	10 00
9069	1	38	Chest melton	7 00	12 50
673	6	33 35 36 36 36 36	Gray flannel, brown and black plaid	7 50	12 00
3042	7	34 to 37 38	Gray cassimere	7 00	12 00
1208	4	35 36 37 40	Blue chevrot	8 00	12 00
3229	2	37 37	Black with golden stripes, plaid	9 00	15 00
2291	1	39	Black chevrot	10 00	15 00
8688	4	35 36 38 39	Gray cassimere	11 00	17 50
672	6	42	Black, with gold stripes, plaid	11 00	15 00
8473	3	36 38 40	Black, with gold stripes, plaid	11 00	15 00
203	1	48	Gray Harris cassimere	12 00	17 50
679	6	33 to 36	Black, with gold stripes, plaid	12 50	18 50
2295	3	36 37 40	Black plaid	15 00	20 00
2384	2	37 38	Black with red plaid	16 00	27 50

CASSIMERE AND CHEVOTS, FROCKS.

STOCK NO.	NO. OF SUITS.	SIZES.	COLOR, QUALITY, STYLE.	COST.	FORMER PRICE.
1715	2	34 34	Brown cassimere	5 00	8 00
6302	3	36 37 40	Brown gray cassimere	7 00	15 00
368	3	40 40 42	Reddish gray plaid cassimere	8 25	12 00
1269	3	36 37 39	Black chevrot	8 50	12 00
6261	6	34 35 38	Dark grey cassimere	8 50	12 00
8683	3	34 35 36	Steel gray cassimere	8 50	12 00
8683	4	34 35 36 37	Striped gray cassimere	10 00	15 00
8648	2	36 38	Black chevrot	11 00	15 00
8381	4	34 35 38 40	Black and brown plaid cassimere	12 00	16 50
8601	4	36 37 40 42	Steel gray cassimere	12 50	18 50

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STOCK NO.	NO. OF SUITS.	SIZES.	COLOR, QUALITY, STYLE.	COST.	FORMER PRICE.
9005	2	11 12	Brown and black with gold stripes	1 40	2 00
9005	2	9 10 11 12	Blue plaid	1 95	2 75
8152	6	8 to 10	Blue yacht cloth	1 95	2 75
8056	4	6 9 10 11	Gray and brown stripe cassimere	3 30	5 00
716	5	5 to 9	Brown plaid cassimere	3 85	5 50

BOY'S SUITS, JACKETS AND PANTS.

STOCK NO.	NO. OF SUITS.	SIZES.	COLOR, QUALITY, STYLE.	COST.	FORMER PRICE.
8169	3	35 36 37	Blue-black with silk stripe, worsted	12 50	16 50
8161	3	36 37 42	Black worsted (Prince Albert)	12 50	16 50
8161	4	36 37 39 40	Black worsted (Prince Albert)	13 00	16 50
2621	1	42	Blue chevrot sack	6 00	7 50
1827	1	46	Gray cassimere sack	8 00	12 50

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STOCK NO.	NO. OF SUITS.	SIZES.	COLOR, QUALITY, STYLE.	COST.	FORMER PRICE.
8157	2	35 36	Blue chinchilla	3 85	5 50
7600	3	35 36 36	Blue chinchilla	5 50	7 50
6907	2	36 38	Asturian	8 25	15 00

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STOCK NO.	NO. OF SUITS.	SIZES.	COLOR, QUALITY, STYLE.	COST.	FORMER PRICE.
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